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SUBJECT: CONSULAR PACKAGE -FY 1976

REF: STATE A-4500 DATED JUNE 4, 1974.

TITLE: CONSULAR PACKAGE FY 1976.

POST: BANGKOK

FY-1974 FY -75 FY 1976

SCHEDULE

I- IMMIGRANT VISAS

1. IMMIGRANT VISAS ISSUED	3528	4300	5000
2. IMMIGRANT VISAS REFUSED	34	80	75
3. IMMIGRANT VISAS REPLACED	11	20	25
4. TOTAL CASES	3573	4400	5100
5. MANHOURS UTILIZED			
A. AMERICAN	1647	1650	1650
B. LOCAL	6200	6200	6200
TOTAL MAN-HOURS	7847	7850	7850
6. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED	\$94225	\$ 120000	\$ 145000

SCHEDULE II-NONIMMIGRANT VISAS

NIV'S	11751	13000	15000
NIV'S REFUSED	1519	1500	1500

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NIV'S REVALIDATED/TRANSFERRED 23 50 50

SUB-TOTAL NIV CASES	13293	14550	16550
BORDER CROSSING CARDS ISSUED	0	0	0
CREW LIST VISAS			
CREW LISTS PROCESSED	8	-0	10
INDIVIDUAL NAMES INCLUDED	282	300	300
TOTALS	13575	14860	16860

MAN-HOURS UTILIZED:

AMERICANS	1615	1615	1615
LOCALS	3481	5200	5200
TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN-HOURS		5096	
CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED	\$29316	\$ 32000	\$35000
SCHEDULE III-SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES			
DEATH OF AMERICAN CITIZENS	37	40	50
ESTATES AND PROPERTY CLAIMS	15	15	15
NOTARIALS	6877	7000	7300
WELFARE AND WHEREABOUTS	334	500	500
ARRESTS	72	100	150
SEAMEN AND SHIPPING	149	150	150
SERVICES FOR OTHER FEDERAL OF STATE AGENCIES			
TOTAL	7545	7905	8415
TREASURY CHECKS	2736	2800	3000
CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED	\$ 18,383	\$ 20,000	\$ 22,000

MAN-HOURS UTILIZED:

AMERICAN	945	950	950
LOCAL	1980	2000	2000
TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN-HOURS	2925	3000	3000

SCHEDULE IV-CITIZENSHIP & PASSPORT SERVICES

PASSPORT APPLICATIONS EXECUTED	10861	15000	17000
PASSPORT APPLICATIONS EXAMINED	0	0	0
FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	10475	15000	15000
NO-FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	302	350	400
PASSPORTS AMENDED	3289	3300	34000
PASSPORTS VERIFIED	0	0	0
FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	10475	15000	15000

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NO-FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	302	350	400
PASSPORTS AMENDED	3289	3300	3400
PASSPORTS VERIFIED	0	0	0
NEW APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION (A)			
	496	500	600
BIRTH AFFIDAVIT, REGISTRATION&			
REPORT OF BIRTHS (FS-240)	894	1000	1200
WITNESS TO MARRIAGE	0	5	5

WAIVER OF PASSPORTS	0	0	0
TOTAL	26317	35155	37605

REGISTRATIONS

(B) NUMBER REGISTERED	4702	5000	5500
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(C) ESTIMATED NUMBER OF US NATIONAL

CIVILIAN RESIDENTS-OFFICIALS	3000	3000	3000
NON-OFFICIAL	7000	7500	8000

CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED	\$126,160	\$172,000	\$196,000
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MAN-HOURS UTILIZED:

AMERICAN	1400	1400	1400
LOCAL	6720	6780	6780
TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN-HOURS	8120	8200	8200

SCHEDULE V. REMARKS AND JUSTIFICATION

A REDUCTION OF U.S. MILITARY PRESENCE IN THAILAND IS BEGINING TO BE FELT AT THIS POST THROUGH INCREASED PASSPORT, BIRTH REGISTRATIONS AND VISA SERVICES REQUESTED INCREASED PASSPORT, BIRTH REGISTRATIONS AND VISA SERVICES REQUESTED BY US MILITARY PERSONNEL FOR THEMSELVES AND THEIR DEPENDENTS BOTH AMERICAN AND THAI. IT IS EXPECTED THAT SUCH INCREASED DEMAND WILL CONTINUE THROUGHOUT THE COMING TWO YEARS AT THE RATE SHOWN IN SCHEDULE IV

PASSPORT AND CITIZENSHIP SERVICES TOGETHER WITH SCS SERVICE ARE EXPECTED TO INCREASE AT A RATE OF APPROXIMATELY 10 PERCENT YEARLY BECAUSE OF THE LARGE NUMBER OF US PERSONNEL ASKING TO REMAIN IN THIS COUNTRY AS RETIRED OR DISCHARGED PERSONNEL AND THOSE WHO UNCLASSIFIED

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WILL EVENTUALLY RETURN TO THAILAND IN A CIVILIAN CAPACITY.

INCREASED TRAVEL AND EVENTUAL EXPARTIATION OF AMERICANS, COUPLED WITH EXPANDED DRUG ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY IN THE AREA, WILL RESULT IN MORE ARRESTS IN CONNECTION WITH NARCOTICS VIOLATIONS.

RAPIDLY EXPANDING TOURISM, PROMOTION OF BARGAIN FLIGHTS BUSINESS EXPANSION, AMMELIORATION IN THE STANDARD OF LIVING AND OTHER FACTORS WILL HAVE A MARKED EFFECTT ON OUR NOMINNIGRANT VISA ACTIVITY.

AT PRESENT ABOUT 10 PERCENT OF THE NIV AND 20 PERCENT OF IV INTER-VIEWS REQUIRE AN INTERPRETER.

ABOUT 15 PERCENT OF NIV APPLICANTS WHO RECEIVED VISAS HAVE APPLIED FOR

CHANGE OF STATUS AFTER ENTERING THE U.S.

THE CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE RUNS AT ABOUT 160 LETTERS
OR TELEGRAMS A YEAR.

GIVEN THE EXPECTED INCREASE IN ACTIVITY, IT MUST BE ASSUMED
THAT ALL OF THESE WILL INCREASE PROPORTINATELY, FURTHER TAXING
OUR PRESENT STAFF.

THEREFORE, STREAMLINING OF OUR OPERATION NEW PHYSICAL
FACILITIES AND ADDITIONAL TRAINING TO THE PRESENT STAFF, WILL
HELP TO A CERTAIN EXTENT BUT IT IS FELT THAT AT LEAST TWO
ADDITIONAL LOCAL POSITIONS
SHOULD BE AUTHORIZED TO COPE WITH THE PROBLEM.
ONE PREVIOUSLY REQUESTED AND JUSTIFIED BY THE STEADY INCREASED
WORKLOAD OVER THE YEARS, AND ONE TO SUSTAING THE OPERATION OVER
THE NEXT TWO YEARS WHILE OUR FORCES ARE BEING REDUCED. THIS REQUEST
FOR TWO ADDITIONAL FSL POSITIONS AND THE STATISTICS IN THIS
REPORT HAVE BEEN DUSCUSSED AND REVIEWED BY THE DCM AND ADMIN
COUNSELOR

SCHEDULE VI-CONSULAR STAFFING
FULL TIME PERMANENT POSITONS

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1. VISAS

A. AMERICAN	2	2	1	0
B. LOCAL	5	6	6	PLUS 1

2. SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES

A. AMERICAN	0	0	1	0
B. LOCAL	2	2	2	0

3. CITIZENSHIP & PASSPORT SERVICES.

A. AMERICAN	2	2	3	0
B. LOCAL	2	2	2	PLUS 1

M5. TOTAL

A. AMERICAN	4	4	0
B. LOCAL	11	13	13 PLUS2

NOTE: IN ADDITON TO THE TOTAL NUMBER OF LOCALS INDICATED ABOVE,
TWO OTHER ARE ASSIGNED TO THE CONSULAR SECTION AND ARE ENGAGED
SOLELY
IN SUB-FUNCTION PERSONNEL SERVICE DEALING WITH THE OBTENTION
O THIRD COUNTRY VISAS AND THAI RESIDENT PERMITS FOR US OFFICIALS
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